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1. It was learned that VEB Motorenwerk, Berlin-Johannisthal (Nationalized IC-Engine Plant) had received                      memorandum, dated 12 August 1954, referring to the development of a diesel engine of 900 HP, 1,400 RPM, type 12 KVD 21 A specified by the Sea Police. This project was scheduled to go into production by the second quarter of 1955. The Diesel engines would be mainly used for installation in the Habicht-type vessels to be constructed; four engines of this type are to be installed on each vessel.
2. Major Fink (fnu) of the planning and procurement section of the Ministry of the Interior was mentioned in connection with the development order.

Comment: Habicht is the code name for a MLRS-type vessel, that is a Minenleg-und Raumschiff (Minelayer-sweeper) built at VEB Peenewerft Wolgast (nationalized shipyard.)

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